Degree 08 - Sign 09

Shepherding
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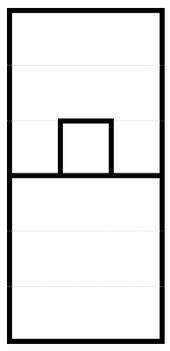
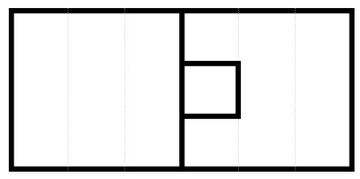




SPIRITUALLY BASING: HEAVEN, LOWING A FUROUS WIND AROUND A STILL GROWING TREE

When I am sky being, wind and trees growing and lowing in the wind;

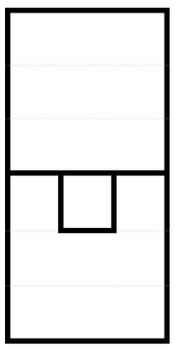
Then I am herding and stopping the virtues of firmness and vigorousness with principles that irritate and infuriate those inclinations).

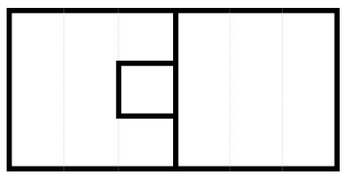
Inside, I am serving the wisdom of heaven's leading impulse (softly descending to yield heaven on earth by being led by heaven and submitting myself to the principles of the way of heaven); and

Outside, I am a continuously growing tree of earth's heavenly yield (making my pattern and virtues marvelous and beautiful).

Degree 09 - Sign 10

Treading and
Walking





SPIRITUALLY DISTINGUISHING: WATER, PROPERLY POOLING BELOW THE HORIZON

When I am water pooling, sky being;

Then I am giving meaning to respect and humility by placing those inclinations which are led by heaven above those inclinations which are led by personal enjoyment.

Inside, I am measuring by the accurate weights and measures of heaven's leading impulse (distinguishing and discriminating between the tendencies of people); and

Outside, I am extending enlightenment of earth's heavenly yield (shedding light on how and why those tendencies of a person should be the determining factor to set them in an order of positions within the kingdom).